

PATENT APPLICATION

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: **Kumar, et al**

Application No.: **09/943,951** Group Art Unit: **1723**
Filing Date: **8/31/2001** Examiner: **Tony Glen Soohoo**
For: **AN IMPROVED HIGH INTENSITY BLENDING TOOL WITH OPTIMIZED RISERS
FOR INCREASED INTENSITY WHEN BLENDING TONERS**

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that an extension of time under Rule 1.136(a), as specified below, be granted for responding to the Office Action of 1/22/03 due 4/22/03.

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